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AN ELECTION FOR ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY DELEGATES TO A CONVENTION TO REVISE THE STATE CONSTITUTION WILL BE HELD ON THE FIRST THURSDAY OF JUNE, 1875. THE CONVENTION WILL MEET AT RALEIGH ON THE 6TH OF THE FOLLOWING SEPTEMBER.

Judge Moore.

We are of the opinion, that the election of judges by the people virtually makes such offices political ones, at any rate it would seem so from the strenuous efforts Judge Moore is alleged to have made at the convention held in Williamson last summer to secure the nomination for Judge of this district and from his subsequent conduct. He was repudiated there by his own, the radical party; he is also equally as odious to the democratic or white man's party. We are not astonished, therefore, that we have heard frequent expressions of surprise that he does not resign his commission as judge. The salary incident to the position surely can not be the reason why he holds on to it with the tenacity of a bull dog. A lawyer with the ability and reputation that Judge Moore possesses can realize more than \$2500, his salary, from a legitimate practice. No honor attaches to a position under the absolute sway of the votes of Civil Rights, especially so in this district where virtue and intelligence are thrust aside and where the position has been so sadly abused since the days of glorious reconstruction. Then why does Judge Moore insist upon exercising the functions of the judgeship of the second district? We dare say nine men out of ten within his jurisdiction, affiliate either with one party or the other. Now since he has been repudiated with no uncertain sound on the radical side and since he is particularly odious on the democratic side the inference, comparatively speaking, is that he has but few friends and gives general dissatisfaction. We conclude, therefore, that in order to respect the sovereignty will of the people modestly bids him step down and out and give place to another, more desirable.

Will he do it? We fear not.

General Frank P. Blair, who has been prostrated for a long time with a paralytic attack, has been greatly strengthened during the past few weeks by the transfusion of blood into that vein. Two operations had been performed up to Monday, and a third one was to have been performed on Tuesday. At the first operation two ounces were injected, and at the second one four ounces, the patient having first been deprived of two ounces by bleeding. A favorable change has taken place, the patient manifesting increased consciousness, and articulating more distinctly. The St. Louis Republican describes the transfusion process as follows: "The blood for transfusion is drawn from the veins of a healthy man into a vessel, where it is allowed to remain in contact with the oxygenizing properties of the atmosphere a short time, but not long enough to commence coagulating. It is then sucked into an exhausted receiver, to which a tube is attached and connected with a vein of the patient's arm. The blood is then forced by a piston in the receiver into the general circulation of the system. In the side of the exhausted receiver is a scale of fine lines, so that the quantity forced into the vein is graduated and timed under the practiced eye of the physician."

The Hon. William M. Evans' remark that he did not think there were '100 men in this country who realize how near we are to a complete change in the form of our government,' seems to meet the approval of The St. Louis Republican, for it says: "The approaching Presidential campaign will not merely decide whether this or that man shall occupy the Executive chair, whether this or that party shall hold the reins of power, but whether the government as our fathers made it shall stand or fall. This is the issue, and the only issue, and unless the American people recognize it and act accordingly they deserve to share the fate which has overtaken all other republics and now threatens our own."

Harper's Weekly.

It is said that now, since the death of John Harper, which occurred last Thursday, there is some prospect of a more moderate tone in the political feeling evinced in Harper's Weekly. The old regime seems to have died out with the late decedent, who was one of the originators of this justly celebrated house, and it is said that the other and younger members of the firm are of more liberal political sentiments, and that the bitterness which has characterized the Weekly has been due to the inspiration of the late senior partner. If that is the case, the death of poor old John Harper, was made to take a back seat there would be some hope and some chance for an abatement in the intense and unfounded prejudices exhibited by this journal towards the Southern people.

That was a huge mistake that the Blaine-Wilson Radical journals made when they published Wm. Eaton's State Rights Jeffersonian Democracy speech in the United States Senate. They gave immense publicity to that speech and declared it was the best campaign document that could have been devised to redeem the Republican party. Mr. Blaine took the same view and made the issue squarely with it. Even Cox, a life-long Democrat, tried to apologize for it, and, Eaton was denounced as 'furnishing ammunition for the enemy's guns,' and, in some quarters of pseudo Democracy, the result of the Connecticut election was discounted in advance, and possible disaster charged upon that bold and honest statesman, who believes that men and nations are governed by ideas and not by humbug. Well, what was the result? The ammunition 'furnished' to load the enemy's guns by William Eaton blew the enemy's said sky high.

There have been a good many excellent explanations given concerning the meaning of the recent vote in Connecticut, but there have been none more concise or accurate than this in the North Adams Transcript: 'This result has a serious lesson for the Republican party. The leaders must understand that the people have made up their minds against a third term for any man; against wire-pullers and jobbers as candidates for Congress; against force bills to control and terrorize sovereign States; against the increases of executive power and the prostitution of official patronage against 'rings' and 'bosses' and trading politicians and all forms of corruption and concealment.'

The sun calls upon the whole cabinet to resign. But will it do any good? Grant would still be there, and no man has been so ingenious in searching for and finding out men the most ignorant, the most corrupt and the most incompetent to fill the high places about him. If he would resign himself, why, then we would see his advisers shake the dust of Washington from off their feet. As it is it is better they should all trap out together on the 4th of March 1877—a long way off, but it will certainly come in spite of the Adventists.

The destruction of several very large plantations in Cuba, owned by Northern men, and worked by slave labor, exposes another of the hypocritical professions of the North. They hold on to slavery as long as they can find profit in it. They made war on our system because they thought slavery made the South too rich and powerful. But there are many like Sumner, who belied professions by their practice, and who own or owned slaves, in slave countries, while there are none so noisy at home in their opposition to the institution.

The election of delegates to the constitutional convention of North Carolina is beginning to be warmly agitated all over the State. It is to be hoped that the very best and most competent men will be chosen in every city and county, and that no local or personal differences of opinion will be permitted to divide or defeat the party in its choice. For the manner in which the labors of that convention shall be conducted and concluded, depends in a great measure the success of the democratic party in the Presidential race of 1876. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Alex. Stephens says 'Grant is the best man that ever drew the sword against the South.' That would do while he has a right to it, and the South has nothing to say to that. It only complains that he has kept it drawn, when it ought to have rested in the scabbard.

The main reason for the contemplated withdrawal of Williams and Delano from the Cabinet is the fear of investigations which will be set on foot by the Democratic House of Representatives next winter. Charges involving the Secretary of the Interior and Attorney General will be preferred. They relate to transactions in the public lands with which, it seems, these two worthies have been too familiar. The matter was brought to the attention of the President but with his characteristic proclivity for shielding thieves he took no note of it. The whole thing we shall see what we shall see.

The third term question has already entered into the canvass in Ohio. The point at issue is whether the Republican platform shall speak against it, or ignore it. The Cincinnati Commercial says the Democrats are prepared to make the campaign on that issue, and it warns the Republicans that silence on the subject will bring them overwhelming defeat.

Attorney General Williams has tendered his resignation, to take effect the 15th of May. His successor may be put little better but it is hardly possible for the country to be worsted by a change. Williams goes home hoping to return as Senator from Oregon. Hope his public career, infamous as it has been, is ended for all time.

Judge Brooks, in his charge to the Grand Jury of the U. S. District Court, at Elizabeth City, last week, said that the criminal features of the Civil Rights bill in which they, as Grand Jury, were alone interested was unconstitutional. Said he agreed with Judge Simmons, of Memphis, Tenn., that the law was unconstitutional. Roman News.

The Western North Carolina Railroad will be sold at Salisbury on the 22nd day of June next. It is hoped the road will be bought by the Commissioners for the State and our Western friends can then get in communication with the outside world, something they have so long sought.

Delano, Secretary of the Interior has been compelled to walk the plank. His complicity in frauds connected with the Indian Agency was the cause. The Connecticut leaves is working, and if it does not raise us a Democratic administration, it will work off a great deal of present radical corruption.

It was expected and hoped that President Grant would give open expression to his position on the third-term question on the occasion of his late visit to Concord, but when toasted he simply bowed and continued smoking. The expectant ones were not a little disappointed at the failure of their project.

The burning of three Steamers at New Orleans a few days ago is a startling calamity, inasmuch as it is supposed that about fifty lives were lost, either by drowning or burning. The details of the disaster at present known seem to indicate that heroic endeavors were made to save as many as possible.

Gov. Brogden says the Mecklenburg Centennial is an event that calls for the unrestrained exhibition of our patriotism and State pride. Perhaps somebody will call His Excellency, who was elected by Republican votes, a 'rebel conspirator.'

The Adventists predicted the crack of doom on Monday night last but it didn't sound, so those who were clad in their ascension robes had to go shivering to bed having let the fires go out doubtless thinking they would find it warm enough where they were going.

Judge Edwards Pierpont, of New York, has accepted the position of Attorney-General and will enter upon the discharge of his duties on May 15th, at which date the resignation of Attorney-General Williams takes effect.

Mrs. Evans said to Mr. Evans yesterday morning: 'Get up and open the dampers, William; and Mr. Evans said absently, turning over for another nap, 'Your honor will please note my exception.'

Senator John B. Gordon, of Georgia, was paid the compliment of a public serenade in Wilmington on Saturday last. He spoke briefly in acknowledgement of it in his most impressive and winning style.

It is now a settled question at the North that there is no harm in a kiss. And if you do your kissing inside of Plymouth church, you may kiss another man's wife with impunity.

The weather was so hot the past winter in Australia that the sun shined cooked eggs; the thermometer stood at 111 in the shade January 22.

We learn that there are two ladies and one man in the insane asylum from worrying over the Beecher question.

The Petersburg Index and Appeal dismisses Attorney General Williams with a 'Scat.' As much as was necessary.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Flour! Flour!

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, for sale by R. B. ALSOP.

April 30.

NOTICE!

The First Regular Meeting of the "Tarboro' Mercantile Association and Board of Trade," will take place on MONDAY EVENING, MAY 3rd, at 8 o'clock. Members are earnestly requested to attend. Merchants desiring to connect themselves with the Association will please send in their applications to the undersigned.

April 30-1st.

ATTENTION, FARMERS

ALL persons having Cotton Gins OUT OF REPAIR, should have them put in proper order during the summer months. By doing so they will get a better job of work done, also on more reasonable terms. No pay is required until the crop is made and graded. Give me your orders at once.

April 30-1st.

GEO. T. WILLIAMS, Tarboro', N. C.

Attention Democrats!

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Edgecombe county, on Tuesday, the 20th of April, it was ordered that a County Convention be called on TUESDAY, the 15th day of June proximo, to consider the propriety of putting candidates in the field for the State Convention.

Each Township is requested to hold a primary meeting on or before June 1st, to select delegates to the County Convention.

JOHN S. DANCY, Chairman.

W. P. WILLIAMSON, Sec'y.

LOST!

Certificate of 1 Share No. 1784 in W. & W. R. R. issued Nov. 19, 1863. Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Directors to issue a new certificate in lieu of the one above described.

April 23, 1875.

J. A. DAVIS.

Tax Notice!

THE Trustees of Tarboro' Township, will meet at the Court House on the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th days of May, 1875, for the purpose of listing the taxable Polls and Property of said Township.

April 23, 1875.

A. McCABE, Trustee.

C. S. CAMPER, Trustee.

C. S. TAYLOR, Trustee.

Good Work,

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AND

Beautiful Fits.

C. H. DOUGHTY HAS JUST RETURNED with the largest lot of French and American Cut Suits ever brought to Tarboro'. The latest and prettiest thing out for Summer is the CLOTH BOOTS. MOROCCO LEGS TRIMMED WITH PEBBLE GOAT, for only eight dollars. C. H. DOUGHTY'S. The LUCCA TIE surpasses anything in the way of Shirts yet made for style and comfort, at C. H. DOUGHTY'S.

If you want a pair of MOROCCO LEG BOOTS in the latest style with full box, Tips and English Buckle Soles, go to Dougherty's. Go to DOUGHTY'S and look at the NEW STYLES whether you wish to purchase or not.

Tarboro', April 6, 1875.

C. H. DOUGHTY.

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MRS. V. E. LIPSCOMB respectfully announces that she has opened a Private Boarding House in Tarboro', on the corner of Bank and Pitt Streets.

Good Fare, Pleasant Rooms, Comfortable Beds. Board Moderate.

Feb. 19, 1875.

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IN RETURNING THANKS TO MY friends and the public for the very liberal patronage extended to me during the past year, I again solicit a continuance of the same, and invite the attention of all to my choice and select stock of

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FANCY GOODS,

CIGARS & TOBACCO.

Picture Frames furnished at short notice. Call and examine.

April 9-1st.

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DR. L. L. STATION, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

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Glass, Putty, Fancy Articles,

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Offers special discounts to any one trading with him. Dr. Station sells the

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Apply to R. H. ROWE.

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The only cost being the Express charges which owing to my large business, are small. Dr. Price has made the treatment of

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Do not fail to send to him for a trial bottle; it costs nothing, and he

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no matter of how long standing your case may be, or how many other remedies may have failed.

Circulars and testimonials sent with FREE TRIAL BOTTLE.

Be particular to give your Express, as well as your Post Office direction, and

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April 23-1st.

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Tarboro', April 23, 1875.

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